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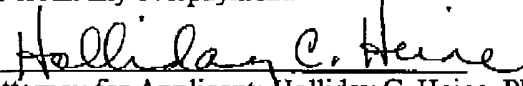
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Enclosed for filing please find a: **Response to Advisory Action**  
**Request for a 3rd month Extension to Time**

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to Charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for any additional filing fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment.

  
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Sir:

In re application of: Anton Scholten et al

Entitled: FUEL CELL SYSTEM FOR GENERATING ELECTRIC ENERGY AND HEAT

Transmitted herewith is a Response to Advisory Action in the above-identified application. The following checked items are applicable:

- ☐ This is a Request for Continued Examination under §1.114; authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of same (\$ ) per §1.17(e).  
☐ Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on per §1.116.

- ☒ A Petition for Extension of Time for a 3rd month is hereby made under §1.136(a); authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the differential cost of same (\$950.00-\$420.00 previously paid on 7/15/04 = \$530.00) per §1.17.

- ☒ In the event a Petition for Extension of Time is required by this paper and not otherwise provided, such Petition is hereby made and authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of such extension.

☐ Other:

CLAIMS AFTER AMENDMENT:	MINUS PRIOR PAID CLAIMS:	EQUALS PRESENT EXTRA CLAIMS:	RATE:	ADDITIONAL FEE:
Independent	4 - 5	= 0	x \$86.00 =	-0-
Total	4 - 28	= 0	x \$18.00 =	-0-
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SUBTOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE				-0-
Small Entity filing, divide by 2. Small Entity status must be asserted.				N/A
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE				-0-

- ☒ No additional fee. ☒ The fee has been calculated above; authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 (\$ ) for the cost of same.

- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees under §1.16 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0804.

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